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Examiner	RAMPURIA, S.

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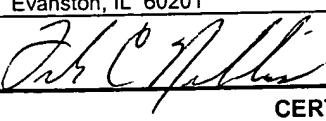
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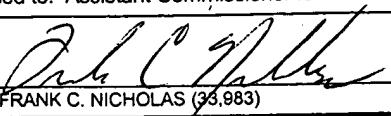
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**RESPONSE TO OFFICE ACTION DATED SEPTEMBER 11, 2002**

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